

A RESOLUTION

08-R-1451

BY: COUNCILMEMBER JIM MADDOX

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND CITY ATTORNEY TO CONDUCT AN IN-DEPTH FEASIBILITY STUDY OF THE INTRODUCTION OF FEES FOR SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE CITY OF ATLANTA AT SPORTS VENUES IN THE CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City seeks to ensure that it is compensated for all services provided to entities doing business or providing entertainment within City borders; and

WHEREAS, the City is interested in implementing fees for services that the City provides in support of sports venues within the City limits; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to ensure that the implementation of such fees does not conflict with any requirements mandated by the State of Georgia or other government or quasi-governmental entities.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES, that the Chief Financial Officer and City Attorney conduct and oversee an in depth feasibility study of the introduction of fees for services provided by the City of Atlanta at sports venues within the Atlanta city limits.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the CFO and City Attorney submit a joint report to Council through the Finance/Executive Committee laying out the findings of the study, including implementation recommendations by December 31, 2008.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that any legislation in conflict with this resolution is hereby waived to the extent of the conflict.